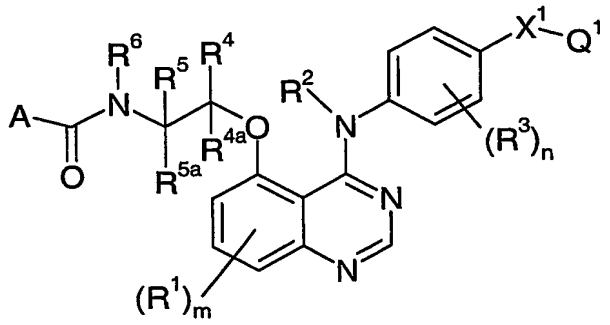
CLAIMS

1. A quinazoline derivative of the formula I:



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wherein:

m is 0, 1 or 2;

each $\mathbf{R^1}$, which may be the same or different, is selected from hydroxy, (1-6C)alkoxy, (3-7C)cycloalkyl-oxy and (3-7C)cycloalkyl-(1-6C)alkoxy,

and wherein any CH_2 or CH_3 group within a R^1 substituent optionally bears on each said CH_2 or CH_3 group one or more halogeno or (1-6C)alkyl substituents, or a substituent selected from hydroxy and (1-6C)alkoxy,

$\mathbf{R^2}$ is hydrogen or (1-4C)alkyl;

n is 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4;

each $\mathbf{R^3}$, which may be the same or different, is selected from cyano, halogeno, (1-4C)alkyl, trifluoromethyl, (1-4C)alkoxy, (2-4C)alkenyl and (2-4C)alkynyl;

$\mathbf{X^1}$ is selected from O, S, SO, SO_2, $N(R^7)$, $CH(OR^7)$, $CON(R^7)$, $N(R^7)CO$, $SO_2N(R^7)$, $N(R^7)SO_2$, $OC(R^7)_2$, $C(R^7)_2O$, $SC(R^7)_2$, $C(R^7)_2S$, CO, $C(R^7)_2N(R^7)$ and $N(R^7)C(R^7)_2$, wherein each R^7, which may be the same or different, is hydrogen or (1-6C)alkyl;

$\mathbf{Q^1}$ is aryl, or heteroaryl,

and wherein Q^1 optionally bears one or more substituents, which may be the same or different, selected from halogeno, cyano, nitro, hydroxy, amino, carboxy, carbamoyl, sulfamoyl, formyl, mercapto, (1-6C)alkyl, (2-8C)alkenyl, (2-8C)alkynyl, (1-6C)alkoxy, (2-6C)alkenyloxy, (2-6C)alkynyloxy, (1-6C)alkylthio, (1-6C)alkylsulfinyl, (1-6C)alkylsulfonyl, (1-6C)alkylamino, di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino, (1-6C)alkoxycarbonyl, N-(1-6C)alkylcarbamoyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]carbamoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyl, (3-6C)alkenoyl, (3-6C)alkynoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyloxy, (2-6C)alkanoylamino,

N-(1-6C)alkyl-(2-6C)alkanoylamino, (3-6C)alkenoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkyl-(3-6C)alkenoylamino, (3-6C)alkynoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkyl-(3-6C)alkynoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkylsulfamoyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]sulfamoyl, (1-6C)alkanesulfonylamino, N-(1-6C)alkyl-(1-6C)alkanesulfonylamino, and a group of the formula:

$$-X^2-R^8$$

wherein X^2 is a direct bond or is selected from O, CO and $N(R^9)$, wherein R^9 is hydrogen or (1-6C)alkyl, and R^8 is halogeno-(1-6C)alkyl, hydroxy-(1-6C)alkyl, carboxy-(1-6C)alkyl, (1-6C)alkoxy-(1-6C)alkyl, cyano-(1-6C)alkyl, amino-(1-6C)alkyl, N-(1-6C)alkylamino-(1-6C)alkyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino-(1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkanoylamino-(1-6C)alkyl, N-(1-6C)alkyl-(2-6C)alkanoylamino-(1-6C)alkyl, (1-6C)alkoxycarbonylamino-(1-6C)alkyl, carbamoyl-(1-6C)alkyl, N-(1-6C)alkylcarbamoyl-(1-6C)alkyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]carbamoyl-(1-6C)alkyl, (1-6C)alkylthio-(1-6C)alkyl, (1-6C)alkylsulfinyl-(1-6C)alkyl, (1-6C)alkylsulfonyl-(1-6C)alkyl sulfamoyl(1-6C)alkyl, N-(1-6C)alkylsulfamoyl(1-6C)alkyl, N,N-di-(1-6C)alkylsulfamoyl(1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkanoyl-(1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkanoyloxy-(1-6C)alkyl or (1-6C)alkoxycarbonyl-(1-6C)alkyl,

and wherein any CH_2 or CH_3 group within $-X^1-Q^1$ optionally bears on each said CH_2 or CH_3 group one or more halogeno or (1-6C)alkyl substituents or a substituent selected from hydroxy, cyano, amino, (1-4C)alkoxy, (1-4C)alkylamino and di-[(1-4C)alkylamino];

R^4, R^{4a}, R^5 and R^{5a}, which may be the same or different, are selected from hydrogen and (1-6C)alkyl, or

R^4 and R^{4a} together with the carbon atom to which they are attached form a (3-7C)cycloalkyl ring, or

R^5 and R^{5a} together with the carbon atom to which they are attached form a (3-7C)cycloalkyl ring,

and wherein any CH_2 or CH_3 group within any of R^4, R^{4a}, R^5 and R^{5a} optionally bears on each said CH_2 or CH_3 group one or more halogeno substituents or a substituent selected from hydroxy, cyano, (1-6C)alkoxy, amino, (2-6C)alkanoyl, (1-6C)alkylamino and di-[(1-6C)alkylamino];

R^6 is selected from hydrogen, (1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkenyl, (2-6C)alkynyl, (3-7C)cycloalkyl, (3-7C)cycloalkyl-(1-6C)alkyl, (3-7C)cycloalkenyl, (3-7C)cycloalkenyl-(1-6C)alkyl, heterocyclyl and heterocyclyl-(1-6C)alkyl,

and wherein any heterocyclyl group within an R^6 substituent optionally bears one or more substituents, which may be the same or different, selected from halogeno, trifluoromethyl, cyano, nitro, hydroxy, amino, formyl, mercapto, (1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkenyl, (2-6C)alkynyl, (1-6C)alkoxy, (1-6C)alkylthio, (1-6C)alkylsulfinyl, (1-6C)alkylsulfonyl, (1-6C)alkylamino, di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino, (2-6C)alkanoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyloxy and from a group of the formula:

$$-X^3-R^{10}$$

wherein X^3 is a direct bond or is selected from O, CO, SO_2 and $N(R^{11})$, wherein R^{11} is hydrogen or (1-4C)alkyl, and R^{10} is halogeno-(1-4C)alkyl, hydroxy-(1-4C)alkyl, (1-4C)alkoxy-(1-4C)alkyl, cyano-(1-4C)alkyl, amino-(1-4C)alkyl, N-(1-4C)alkylamino-(1-4C)alkyl and N,N-di-[(1-4C)alkyl]amino-(1-4C)alkyl,

and wherein any heterocyclyl group within an R^6 substituent optionally bears 1 or 2 oxo or thioxo substituents;

and wherein any CH_2 or CH_3 group within a R^6 substituent, other than a CH_2 group within a heterocyclyl group, optionally bears on each said CH_2 or CH_3 group one or more halogeno or (1-6C)alkyl substituents or a substituent selected from hydroxy, cyano, amino, carboxy, carbamoyl, sulfamoyl, (2-6C)alkenyl, (2-6C)alkynyl, (1-6C)alkoxy, (1-6C)alkylthio, (1-6C)alkylsulfinyl, (1-6C)alkylsulfonyl, (1-6C)alkylamino, di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino, N-(1-6C)alkylcarbamoyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]carbamoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyloxy, (2-6C)alkanoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkyl-(2-6C)alkanoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkylsulfamoyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]sulfamoyl, (1-6C)alkanesulfonylamino and N-(1-6C)alkyl-(1-6C)alkanesulfonylamino;

A is selected from hydrogen, a group of the formula $Z-(CR^{12}R^{13})_p-$ and R^{14},

wherein p is 1, 2, 3, or 4,

each R^{12} and R^{13}, which may be the same or different, is selected from hydrogen, (1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkenyl and (2-6C)alkynyl,

or an R^{12} and an R^{13} group attached to the same carbon atom form a (3-7C)cycloalkyl or (3-7C)cycloalkenyl ring,

and wherein any CH_2 or CH_3 group within any of R^{12} and R^{13}, optionally bears on each said CH_2 or CH_3 group one or more halogeno or (1-6C)alkyl substituents or a substituent selected from hydroxy, cyano, (1-6C)alkyl, (1-6C)alkoxy, amino, (2-6C)alkanoyl, (1-6C)alkylamino and di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino,

Z is selected from hydrogen, OR^{15}, $NR^{16}R^{17}$, (1-6C)alkylsulfonyl, (1-6C)alkanesulfonylamino and N-(1-6C)alkyl-(1-6C)alkanesulfonylamino, wherein each of R^{15}, R^{16} and R^{17}, which may be the same or different, is selected from hydrogen, (1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkenyl, (2-6C)alkynyl and (1-6C)alkoxycarbonyl,

or Z is a group of the formula:

$$Q^2\text{-}X^4\text{-}$$

wherein X^4 is selected from O, $N(R^{18})$, SO_2 and $SO_2N(R^{18})$, wherein R^{18} is hydrogen or (1-6C)alkyl, and Q^2 is (3-7C)cycloalkyl, (3-7C)cycloalkenyl or heterocyclyl,

R^{14} is selected from hydrogen, OR^{19} and $NR^{16}R^{17}$, wherein R^{19} is selected from (1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkenyl and (2-6C)alkynyl, and wherein R^{16} and R^{17} are as defined above,

or R^{14} is a group of the formula:

$$Q^3\text{-}X^5\text{-}$$

wherein X^5 is selected from O and $N(R^{20})$, wherein R^{20} is hydrogen or (1-6C)alkyl, and Q^3 is (3-7C)cycloalkyl, (3-7C)cycloalkyl-(1-6C)alkyl, (3-7C)cycloalkenyl, (3-7C)cycloalkenyl-(1-6C)alkyl, heterocyclyl and heterocyclyl-(1-6C)alkyl,

or R^{14} is Q^4 wherein Q^4 is (3-7C)cycloalkyl, (3-7C)cycloalkyl-(1-6C)alkyl, (3-7C)cycloalkenyl, (3-7C)cycloalkenyl-(1-6C)alkyl, heterocyclyl or heterocyclyl-(1-6C)alkyl,

and wherein adjacent carbon atoms in any (2-6C)alkylene chain within a Z or R^{14} substituent are optionally separated by the insertion into the chain of a group selected from O, S, SO, SO_2, $N(R^{21})$, CO, -C=C- and -C≡C-, wherein R^{21} is hydrogen or (1-6C)alkyl,

and wherein any heterocyclyl group within a Z or R^{14} substituent optionally bears one or more substituents, which may be the same or different, selected from halogeno, trifluoromethyl, cyano, nitro, hydroxy, amino, formyl, mercapto, (1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkenyl, (2-6C)alkynyl, (1-6C)alkoxy, (1-6C)alkylthio, (1-6C)alkylsulfinyl, (1-6C)alkylsulfonyl, (1-6C)alkylamino, di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino, (2-6C)alkanoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyloxy and from a group of the formula:

$$-X^6\text{-}R^{22}$$

wherein X^6 is a direct bond or is selected from O, CO, SO_2 and $N(R^{23})$, wherein R^{23} is hydrogen or (1-4C)alkyl, and R^{22} is halogeno-(1-4C)alkyl, hydroxy-(1-4C)alkyl, (1-4C)alkoxy-(1-4C)alkyl, cyano-(1-4C)alkyl, amino-(1-4C)alkyl, N-(1-4C)alkylamino-(1-4C)alkyl and N,N-di-[(1-4C)alkyl]amino-(1-4C)alkyl,

and wherein any heterocyclyl group within a Z or R^{14} substituent optionally bears 1 or 2 oxo or thioxo substituents,

and wherein any CH_2 or CH_3 group within a Z or R^{14} group, other than a CH_2 group within a heterocyclyl ring, optionally bears on each said CH_2 or CH_3 group one or more halogeno or (1-6C)alkyl substituents or a substituent selected from hydroxy, cyano, amino, carboxy, carbamoyl, sulfamoyl, (2-6C)alkenyl, (2-6C)alkynyl, (1-6C)alkoxy, (1-6C)alkylthio, (1-6C)alkylsulfinyl, (1-6C)alkylsulfonyl, (1-6C)alkylamino, di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino, N-(1-6C)alkylcarbamoyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]carbamoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyloxy, (2-6C)alkanoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkyl-(2-6C)alkanoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkylsulfamoyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]sulfamoyl, (1-6C)alkanesulfonylamino and N-(1-6C)alkyl-(1-6C)alkanesulfonylamino;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

2. A quinazoline derivative according to claim 1, wherein:

m is 0, 1 or 2;

each R^1, which may be the same or different, is selected from hydroxy, (1-6C)alkoxy, (3-7C)cycloalkyl-oxy and (3-7C)cycloalkyl-(1-6C)alkoxy,

and wherein any CH_2 or CH_3 group within a R^1 substituent optionally bears on each said CH_2 or CH_3 group one or more halogeno or (1-6C)alkyl substituents, or a substituent selected from hydroxy and (1-6C)alkoxy,

R^2 is hydrogen or (1-4C)alkyl;

n is 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4;

each R^3, which may be the same or different, is selected from halogeno, (1-4C)alkyl, trifluoromethyl, (1-4C)alkoxy, (2-4C)alkenyl and (2-4C)alkynyl;

X^1 is selected from O, S, SO, SO_2, $N(R^7)$, $CH(OR^7)$, $CON(R^7)$, $N(R^7)CO$, $SO_2N(R^7)$, $N(R^7)SO_2$, $OC(R^7)_2$, $C(R^7)_2O$, $SC(R^7)_2$, $C(R^7)_2S$, CO, $C(R^7)_2N(R^7)$ and $N(R^7)C(R^7)_2$, wherein each R^7, which may be the same or different, is hydrogen or (1-6C)alkyl;

Q^1 is aryl, or heteroaryl,

and wherein Q^1 optionally bears one or more substituents, which may be the same or different, selected from halogeno, cyano, nitro, hydroxy, amino, carboxy, carbamoyl, sulfamoyl, formyl, mercapto, (1-6C)alkyl, (2-8C)alkenyl, (2-8C)alkynyl, (1-6C)alkoxy, (2-6C)alkenyloxy, (2-6C)alkynyloxy, (1-6C)alkylthio, (1-6C)alkylsulfinyl, (1-6C)alkylsulfonyl, (1-6C)alkylamino, di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino, (1-6C)alkoxycarbonyl,

N-(1-6C)alkylcarbamoyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]carbamoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyl, (3-6C)alkenoyl, (3-6C)alkynoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyloxy, (2-6C)alkanoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkyl-(2-6C)alkanoylamino, (3-6C)alkenoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkyl-(3-6C)alkenoylamino, (3-6C)alkynoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkyl-(3-6C)alkynoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkylsulfamoyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]sulfamoyl, (1-6C)alkanesulfonylamino, N-(1-6C)alkyl-(1-6C)alkanesulfonylamino, and a group of the formula:

$$-X^2-R^8$$

wherein X^2 is a direct bond or is selected from O, CO and $N(R^9)$, wherein R^9 is hydrogen or (1-6C)alkyl, and R^8 is halogeno-(1-6C)alkyl, hydroxy-(1-6C)alkyl, carboxy-(1-6C)alkyl, (1-6C)alkoxy-(1-6C)alkyl, cyano-(1-6C)alkyl, amino-(1-6C)alkyl, N-(1-6C)alkylamino-(1-6C)alkyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino-(1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkanoylamino-(1-6C)alkyl, N-(1-6C)alkyl-(2-6C)alkanoylamino-(1-6C)alkyl, (1-6C)alkoxycarbonylamino-(1-6C)alkyl, carbamoyl-(1-6C)alkyl, N-(1-6C)alkylcarbamoyl-(1-6C)alkyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]carbamoyl-(1-6C)alkyl, (1-6C)alkylthio-(1-6C)alkyl, (1-6C)alkylsulfinyl-(1-6C)alkyl, (1-6C)alkylsulfonyl-(1-6C)alkyl sulfamoyl(1-6C)alkyl, N-(1-6C)alkylsulfamoyl(1-6C)alkyl, N,N-di-(1-6C)alkylsulfamoyl(1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkanoyl-(1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkanoyloxy-(1-6C)alkyl or (1-6C)alkoxycarbonyl-(1-6C)alkyl,

and wherein any CH_2 or CH_3 group within $-X^1-Q^1$ optionally bears on each said CH_2 or CH_3 group one or more halogeno or (1-6C)alkyl substituents or a substituent selected from hydroxy, cyano, amino, (1-4C)alkoxy, (1-4C)alkylamino and di-[(1-4C)alkylamino];

R^4, R^{4a}, R^5 and R^{5a}, which may be the same or different, are selected from hydrogen and (1-6C)alkyl, or

R^4 and R^{4a} together with the carbon atom to which they are attached form a (3-7C)cycloalkyl ring, or

R^5 and R^{5a} together with the carbon atom to which they are attached form a (3-7C)cycloalkyl ring,

and wherein any CH_2 or CH_3 group within any of R^4, R^{4a}, R^5 and R^{5a} optionally bears on each said CH_2 or CH_3 group one or more halogeno substituents or a substituent selected from hydroxy, cyano, (1-6C)alkoxy, amino, (2-6C)alkanoyl, (1-6C)alkylamino and di-[(1-6C)alkylamino];

R^6 is selected from hydrogen, (1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkenyl, (2-6C)alkynyl, (3-7C)cycloalkyl, (3-7C)cycloalkyl-(1-6C)alkyl, (3-7C)cycloalkenyl, (3-7C)cycloalkenyl-(1-6C)alkyl, heterocyclyl and heterocyclyl-(1-6C)alkyl,

and wherein any heterocyclyl group within an R^6 substituent optionally bears one or more substituents, which may be the same or different, selected from halogeno, trifluoromethyl, cyano, nitro, hydroxy, amino, formyl, mercapto, (1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkenyl, (2-6C)alkynyl, (1-6C)alkoxy, (1-6C)alkylthio, (1-6C)alkylsulfinyl, (1-6C)alkylsulfonyl, (1-6C)alkylamino, di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino, (2-6C)alkanoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyloxy and from a group of the formula:

$$-X^3-R^{10}$$

wherein X^3 is a direct bond or is selected from O, CO, SO_2 and $N(R^{11})$, wherein R^{11} is hydrogen or (1-4C)alkyl, and R^{10} is halogeno-(1-4C)alkyl, hydroxy-(1-4C)alkyl, (1-4C)alkoxy-(1-4C)alkyl, cyano-(1-4C)alkyl, amino-(1-4C)alkyl, N-(1-4C)alkylamino-(1-4C)alkyl and N,N-di-[(1-4C)alkyl]amino-(1-4C)alkyl,

and wherein any heterocyclyl group within an R^6 substituent optionally bears 1 or 2 oxo or thioxo substituents;

and wherein any CH_2 or CH_3 group within a R^6 substituent, other than a CH_2 group within a heterocyclyl group, optionally bears on each said CH_2 or CH_3 group one or more halogeno or (1-6C)alkyl substituents or a substituent selected from hydroxy, cyano, amino, carboxy, carbamoyl, sulfamoyl, (2-6C)alkenyl, (2-6C)alkynyl, (1-6C)alkoxy, (1-6C)alkylthio, (1-6C)alkylsulfinyl, (1-6C)alkylsulfonyl, (1-6C)alkylamino, di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino, N-(1-6C)alkylcarbamoyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]carbamoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyloxy, (2-6C)alkanoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkyl-(2-6C)alkanoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkylsulfamoyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]sulfamoyl, (1-6C)alkanesulfonylamino and N-(1-6C)alkyl-(1-6C)alkanesulfonylamino;

A is selected from hydrogen, a group of the formula $Z-(CR^{12}R^{13})_p-$ and R^{14},

wherein p is 1, 2, 3, or 4,

each R^{12} and R^{13}, which may be the same or different, is selected from hydrogen, (1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkenyl and (2-6C)alkynyl,

or an R^{12} and an R^{13} group attached to the same carbon atom form a (3-7C)cycloalkyl or (3-7C)cycloalkenyl ring,

and wherein any CH_2 or CH_3 group within any of R^{12} and R^{13}, optionally bears on each said CH_2 or CH_3 group one or more halogeno or (1-6C)alkyl substituents or a substituent

selected from hydroxy, cyano, (1-6C)alkyl, (1-6C)alkoxy, amino, (2-6C)alkanoyl, (1-6C)alkylamino and di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino,

Z is selected from hydrogen, OR^{15}, $NR^{16}R^{17}$, (1-6C)alkylsulfonyl, (1-6C)alkanesulfonylamino and N-(1-6C)alkyl-(1-6C)alkanesulfonylamino, wherein each of R^{15}, R^{16} and R^{17}, which may be the same or different, is selected from hydrogen, (1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkenyl and (2-6C)alkynyl,

or Z is a group of the formula:

$$Q^2\text{-}X^4\text{-}$$

wherein X^4 is selected from O, $N(R^{18})$, SO_2 and $SO_2N(R^{18})$, wherein R^{18} is hydrogen or (1-6C)alkyl, and Q^2 is (3-7C)cycloalkyl, (3-7C)cycloalkenyl or heterocyclyl,

R^{14} is selected from hydrogen, OR^{19} and $NR^{16}R^{17}$, wherein R^{19} is selected from (1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkenyl and (2-6C)alkynyl, and wherein R^{16} and R^{17} are as defined above,

or R^{14} is a group of the formula:

$$Q^3\text{-}X^5\text{-}$$

wherein X^5 is selected from O and $N(R^{20})$, wherein R^{20} is hydrogen or (1-6C)alkyl, and Q^3 is (3-7C)cycloalkyl, (3-7C)cycloalkyl-(1-6C)alkyl, (3-7C)cycloalkenyl, (3-7C)cycloalkenyl-(1-6C)alkyl, heterocyclyl and heterocyclyl-(1-6C)alkyl,

or R^{14} is Q^4 wherein Q^4 is (3-7C)cycloalkyl, (3-7C)cycloalkenyl or heterocyclyl,

and wherein adjacent carbon atoms in any (2-6C)alkylene chain within a Z or R^{14} substituent are optionally separated by the insertion into the chain of a group selected from O, S, SO, SO_2, $N(R^{21})$, CO, -C=C- and -C≡C-, wherein R^{21} is hydrogen or (1-6C)alkyl,

and wherein any heterocyclyl group within a Z or R^{14} substituent optionally bears one or more substituents, which may be the same or different, selected from halogeno, trifluoromethyl, cyano, nitro, hydroxy, amino, formyl, mercapto, (1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkenyl, (2-6C)alkynyl, (1-6C)alkoxy, (1-6C)alkylthio, (1-6C)alkylsulfinyl, (1-6C)alkylsulfonyl, (1-6C)alkylamino, di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino, (2-6C)alkanoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyloxy and from a group of the formula:

$$-X^6\text{-}R^{22}$$

wherein X^6 is a direct bond or is selected from O, CO, SO_2 and $N(R^{23})$, wherein R^{23} is hydrogen or (1-4C)alkyl, and R^{22} is halogeno-(1-4C)alkyl, hydroxy-(1-4C)alkyl, (1-4C)alkoxy-(1-4C)alkyl, cyano-(1-4C)alkyl, amino-(1-4C)alkyl, N-(1-4C)alkylamino-(1-4C)alkyl and N,N-di-[(1-4C)alkyl]amino-(1-4C)alkyl,

and wherein any heterocyclyl group within a Z or R^{14} substituent optionally bears 1 or 2 oxo or thioxo substituents,

and wherein any CH_2 or CH_3 group within a Z or R^{14} group, other than a CH_2 group within a heterocyclyl ring, optionally bears on each said CH_2 or CH_3 group one or more halogeno or (1-6C)alkyl substituents or a substituent selected from hydroxy, cyano, amino, carboxy, carbamoyl, sulfamoyl, (2-6C)alkenyl, (2-6C)alkynyl, (1-6C)alkoxy, (1-6C)alkylthio, (1-6C)alkylsulfinyl, (1-6C)alkylsulfonyl, (1-6C)alkylamino, di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino, N-(1-6C)alkylcarbamoyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]carbamoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyloxy, (2-6C)alkanoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkyl-(2-6C)alkanoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkylsulfamoyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]sulfamoyl, (1-6C)alkanesulfonylamino and N-(1-6C)alkyl-(1-6C)alkanesulfonylamino;
or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

3. A quinazoline derivative according to claim 1 or claim 2, wherein R^4, R^{4a}, R^5 and R^{5a}, which may be the same or different, are selected from hydrogen and (1-6C)alkyl, and wherein any CH_2 or CH_3 group within any of R^4, R^{4a}, R^5 and R^{5a} optionally bears on each said CH_2 or CH_3 group one or more halogeno substituents or a substituent selected from hydroxy, cyano, (1-6C)alkoxy, amino, (2-6C)alkanoyl, (1-6C)alkylamino and di-[(1-6C)alkylamino].

4. A quinazoline derivative according to any one of the preceding claims, wherein m is 0.

5. A quinazoline derivative according to any one of the preceding claims, wherein R^2 is hydrogen.

6. A quinazoline derivative according to any one of the preceding claims, wherein n is 0, 1 or 2 and, when present, at least one R^3 is in a meta-position (3-position) relative to the nitrogen of the anilino group in formula I.

7. A quinazoline derivative according to any one of the preceding claims, wherein n is 1 and R^3 is selected from halogeno and (1-4C)alkyl.

8. A quinazoline derivative according to claim 7, wherein R^3 is chloro.

9. A quinazoline derivative according to claim 7, wherein R^3 is methyl.

10. A quinazoline derivative according to any one of the preceding claims, wherein X^1 is selected from O, S, $OC(R^7)_2$, $SC(R^7)_2$, SO, SO_2, $N(R^7)$, CO and $N(R^7)C(R^7)_2$ wherein each R^7, which may be the same or different, is selected from hydrogen or (1-6C)alkyl.

11. A quinazoline derivative according to any one of the preceding claims, wherein X^1 is selected from O, S and $OC(R^7)_2$ wherein each R^7 is, independently, hydrogen or (1-4C)alkyl.

12. A quinazoline derivative according to any one of the preceding claims, wherein X^1 is OCH_2.

13. A quinazoline derivative according to any one of the preceding claims, wherein Q^1 is selected from phenyl and a 5- or 6-membered monocyclic heteroaryl ring, which ring contains 1, 2 or 3 heteroatoms independently selected from oxygen, nitrogen and sulfur,

and wherein Q^1 optionally bears one or more substituents, which may be the same or different, selected from halogeno, cyano, nitro, hydroxy, amino, carboxy, carbamoyl, sulfamoyl, formyl, mercapto, (1-6C)alkyl, (2-8C)alkenyl, (2-8C)alkynyl, (1-6C)alkoxy, (2-6C)alkenyloxy, (2-6C)alkynyloxy, (1-6C)alkylthio, (1-6C)alkylsulfinyl, (1-6C)alkylsulfonyl, (1-6C)alkylamino, di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino, (1-6C)alkoxycarbonyl, N-(1-6C)alkylcarbamoyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]carbamoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyl, (3-6C)alkenoyl, (3-6C)alkynoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyloxy, (2-6C)alkanoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkyl-(2-6C)alkanoylamino, (3-6C)alkenoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkyl-(3-6C)alkenoylamino, (3-6C)alkynoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkyl-(3-6C)alkynoylamino, N-(1-6C)alkylsulfamoyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]sulfamoyl, (1-6C)alkanesulfonylamino, N-(1-6C)alkyl-(1-6C)alkanesulfonylamino, and a group of the formula:

$$-X^2-R^8$$

wherein X^2 is a direct bond or is selected from O, CO and $N(R^9)$, wherein R^9 is hydrogen or (1-6C)alkyl, and R^8 is halogeno-(1-6C)alkyl, hydroxy-(1-6C)alkyl, carboxy-(1-6C)alkyl, (1-6C)alkoxy-(1-6C)alkyl, cyano-(1-6C)alkyl, amino-(1-6C)alkyl, N-(1-6C)alkylamino-(1-6C)alkyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino-(1-6C)alkyl,

(2-6C)alkanoylamino-(1-6C)alkyl, N-(1-6C)alkyl-(2-6C)alkanoylamino-(1-6C)alkyl, (1-6C)alkoxycarbonylamino-(1-6C)alkyl, carbamoyl-(1-6C)alkyl, N-(1-6C)alkylcarbamoyl-(1-6C)alkyl, N,N-di-[(1-6C)alkyl]carbamoyl-(1-6C)alkyl, (1-6C)alkylthio-(1-6C)alkyl, (1-6C)alkylsulfinyl-(1-6C)alkyl, (1-6C)alkylsulfonyl-(1-6C)alkyl sulfamoyl(1-6C)alkyl, N-(1-6C)alkylsulfamoyl(1-6C)alkyl, N,N-di-(1-6C)alkylsulfamoyl(1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkanoyl-(1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkanoyloxy-(1-6C)alkyl or (1-6C)alkoxycarbonyl-(1-6C)alkyl,

and wherein any CH_2 or CH_3 group within $-X^1-Q^1$ optionally bears on each said CH_2 or CH_3 group one or more halogeno or (1-6C)alkyl substituents or a substituent selected from hydroxy, cyano, amino, (1-4C)alkoxy, (1-4C)alkylamino and di-[(1-4C)alkylamino].

14. A quinazoline derivative according to any one of the preceding claims, wherein Q^1 is selected from phenyl, pyridyl, pyrazinyl, 1,3-thiazolyl, 1H-imidazolyl, 1H-pyrazolyl, 1,3-oxazolyl and isoxazolyl.

15. A quinazoline derivative according to any one of the preceding claims, wherein R^6 is selected from hydrogen, (1-3C)alkyl, (2-3C)alkenyl, (2-3C)alkynyl, (3-5C)cycloalkyl, (3-5C)cycloalkyl-(1-3C)alkyl, heterocyclyl and heterocyclyl-(1-3C)alkyl,

wherein any heterocyclyl group within R^6 is a 4, 5, 6 or 7 membered monocyclic saturated or partially saturated heterocyclyl ring containing 1 or 2 heteroatoms selected from oxygen, nitrogen and sulfur, which heterocyclyl group is linked to the group to which it is attached by a ring carbon atom,

and wherein any heterocyclyl group within an R^6 substituent optionally bears one or more substituents, which may be the same or different, selected from halogeno, trifluoromethyl, cyano, nitro, hydroxy, amino, mercapto, (1-6C)alkyl, (2-6C)alkenyl, (2-6C)alkynyl, (1-6C)alkoxy, (1-6C)alkylthio, (1-6C)alkylsulfinyl, (1-6C)alkylsulfonyl, (1-6C)alkylamino, di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino, (2-6C)alkanoyl, (2-6C)alkanoyloxy and from a group of the formula:

$$-X^3-R^{10}$$

wherein X^3 is a direct bond or is selected from O and $N(R^{11})$, wherein R^{11} is hydrogen or (1-4C)alkyl, and R^{10} is halogeno-(1-4C)alkyl, hydroxy-(1-4C)alkyl,

(1-4C)alkoxy-(1-4C)alkyl, cyano-(1-4C)alkyl, amino-(1-4C)alkyl, N-(1-4C)alkylamino-(1-4C)alkyl and N,N-di-[(1-4C)alkyl]amino-(1-4C)alkyl,

and wherein any heterocyclyl group within an R^6 substituent optionally bears 1 or 2 oxo substituents;

and wherein any CH_2 or CH_3 group within a R^6 substituent, other than a CH_2 group within a heterocyclyl group, optionally bears on each said CH_2 or CH_3 group one or more halogeno or (1-6C)alkyl substituents or a substituent selected from hydroxy, amino, (1-6C)alkoxy, (1-6C)alkylamino and di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino.

16. A quinazoline derivative according to claim 15, wherein R^6 is (1-3C)alkyl,

and wherein any CH_2 or CH_3 group within a R^6 substituent, other than a CH_2 group within a heterocyclyl group, optionally bears on each said CH_2 or CH_3 group one or more halogeno or (1-6C)alkyl substituents or a substituent selected from hydroxy, amino, (1-6C)alkoxy, (1-6C)alkylamino and di-[(1-6C)alkyl]amino.

17. A quinazoline derivative according to any one of the preceding claims, wherein A is selected from a group of the formula $Z\text{-}(CR^{12}R^{13})_p\text{-}$ and R^{14},

wherein p is 1, 2 or 3,

each R^{12} and R^{13}, which may be the same or different, is selected from hydrogen and (1-6C)alkyl,

and wherein any CH_2 or CH_3 group within any of R^{12} and R^{13} optionally bears on each said CH_2 or CH_3 group one or more halogeno substituents or a substituent selected from hydroxy and (1-6C)alkoxy,

Z is selected from hydrogen, OR^{15}, $NR^{16}R^{17}$ and (1-6C)alkylsulfonyl, wherein each of R^{15}, R^{16} and R^{17}, which may be the same or different, is selected from hydrogen, (1-6C)alkyl and (1-6C)alkoxycarbonyl,

R^{14} is selected from OR^{19} and $NR^{16}R^{17}$, wherein R^{19} is selected from (1-6C)alkyl and wherein R^{16} and R^{17} are as defined above,

or R^{14} is Q^4 wherein Q^4 is (3-7C)cycloalkyl, heterocyclyl or heterocyclyl-(1-6C)alkyl,

and wherein any heterocyclyl group within a Z or R^{14} substituent optionally bears one or more substituents, which may be the same or different, selected from halogeno, hydroxy, (1-6C)alkyl and (1-6C)alkoxy,

and wherein any CH_2 or CH_3 group within a Z or R^{14} group, other than a CH_2 group within a heterocyclyl ring, optionally bears on each said CH_2 or CH_3 group one or more halogeno or (1-6C)alkyl substituents or a substituent selected from hydroxy and (1-6C)alkoxy.

18. A quinazoline derivative selected from one or more of the following:

N-{2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2-methoxy-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2-(dimethylamino)-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2-methoxy-*N*-methylacetamide);

2-hydroxy-*N*-methyl-*N*-{2-[(4-{3-methyl-4-(pyrazin-2-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}acetamide;

2-hydroxy-*N*-methyl-*N*-{2-[(4-{3-methyl-4-(1,3-thiazol-4-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}acetamide;

2-hydroxy-*N*-methyl-*N*-(2-{[4-(3-methyl-4-[(5-methylisoxazol-3-yl)methoxy]anilino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}ethyl)acetamide;

N-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2-methoxyacetamide;

N-(2-{[4-(3-chloro-4-[(6-methylpyridin-2-yl)methoxy]anilino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}ethyl)-2-hydroxy-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-((2*R*)-2-{[4-(3-chloro-4-[(6-methylpyridin-2-yl)methoxy]anilino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)-2-hydroxy-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-(2-{[4-(3-chloro-4-[(6-methylpyridin-2-yl)methoxy]anilino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}ethyl)-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-(2-{[4-(3-chloro-4-[(2-fluorobenzyl)oxy]anilino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}ethyl)-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-(2-{[4-(3-chloro-4-[(3-fluorobenzyl)oxy]anilino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}ethyl)-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(1,3-thiazol-4-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(pyrazin-2-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2-hydroxyacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-methylacetamide;

2-hydroxy-*N*-methyl-*N*-{2-[(4-{3-methyl-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}acetamide;

N-{(1*R*)-2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]-1-methylethyl}acetamide;

N-{(1*R*)-2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]-1-methylethyl}-2-hydroxyacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-(2-{[4-(3-chloro-4-[(3-fluorobenzyl)oxy]anilino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}ethyl)-2-hydroxy-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(1,3-thiazol-4-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(pyrazin-2-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}acetamide;

N-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}acetamide;

N-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(pyrazin-2-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-((2*R*)-2-{[4-(3-chloro-4-[(3-fluorobenzyl)oxy]anilino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)-2-hydroxy-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(1,3-thiazol-4-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)anilino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-ethylacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-ethyl-2-hydroxyacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-propylacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-propylacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-isopropylacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-isopropylacetamide;

N-allyl-*N*-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}acetamide;

N-allyl-*N*-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2-hydroxyacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-cyclopropylacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-cyclopropyl-2-hydroxyacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-(cyclopropylmethyl)acetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-(cyclopropylmethyl)-2-hydroxyacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-cyclobutylacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-cyclobutyl-2-hydroxyacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-(1-methylpiperidin-4-yl)acetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-(tetrahydro-2*H*-pyran-4-yl)acetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-(tetrahydro-2*H*-pyran-4-yl)acetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-(2-hydroxyethyl)acetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-(2-hydroxyethyl)acetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-(2-methoxyethyl)acetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-(2-methoxyethyl)acetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-prop-2-yn-1-ylacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-prop-2-yn-1-ylacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-methylpropanamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-methyl-tetrahydrofuranyl-2-carboxamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*,1-dimethylprolinamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*,2-dimethylpropanamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-1-hydroxy-*N*-methylcyclopropanecarboxamide;

N^1-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-N^1,N^2-dimethylglycinamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-3-hydroxy-*N*,2,2-trimethylpropanamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-3-hydroxy-*N*-methylpropanamide;

N-{(2*S*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}acetamide;

N-{(2*S*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2-hydroxyacetamide;

N^1-{(2*S*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-N^2,N^2-dimethylglycinamide;

N-{(2*S*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2-methoxyacetamide;

N-{(2*S*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2-(methylsulfonyl)acetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2-hydroxyacetamide;

N^1-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-N^2,N^2-dimethylglycinamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2-methoxyacetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2-(methylsulfonyl)acetamide;

N-{(2*S*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{(2*S*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-methylacetamide;

N^1-{(2*S*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-N^1,N^2,N^2-trimethylglycinamide;

N-{(2*S*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2-methoxy-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{(2*S*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-*N*-methyl-2-(methylsulfonyl)acetamide;

N-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyrazin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(1,3-thiazol-4-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-((2*R*)-2-{[4-({3-chloro-4-[(3-fluorobenzyl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-((2*R*)-2-{[4-({3-chloro-4-[(2-fluorobenzyl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{(1*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]-1-methylethyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{(1*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]-1-methylethyl}-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{(1*S*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]-1-methylethyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{(1*S*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]-1-methylethyl}-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{(1*S*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]-1-methylethyl}-2-methoxy-*N*-methylacetamide;

N-{(1*S*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]-1-methylethyl}-2-hydroxyacetamide;

N-{(1*S*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]-1-methylethyl}acetamide;

N^1-{(1*S*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]-1-methylethyl}-N^2,N^2-dimethylglycinamide;

N^1-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-N^2,N^2-dimethylglycinamide;

(2*S*)-*N*-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2,4-dihydroxybutanamide;

(2*R*)-*N*-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2,4-dihydroxybutanamide;

(2*R*)-*N*-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2,4-dihydroxybutanamide;

(2*S*)-*N*-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2,4-dihydroxybutanamide;

(2*R*)-*N*-{(2*S*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2,4-dihydroxybutanamide;

(2*S*)-*N*-{(2*S*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2,4-dihydroxybutanamide;

(2*S*)-*N*-{(1*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]-1-methylethyl}-2,4-dihydroxybutanamide;

(2*R*)-*N*-{(1*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]-1-methylethyl}-2,4-dihydroxybutanamide;

(2*R*)-*N*-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(1,3-thiazol-4-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2,4-dihydroxybutanamide;

(2*S*)-*N*-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(1,3-thiazol-4-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-2,4-dihydroxybutanamide;

(2*R*)-*N*-{(1*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(1,3-thiazol-4-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino} quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]-1-methylethyl}-2,4-dihydroxybutanamide;

(2*S*)-*N*-{(1*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(1,3-thiazol-4-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino} quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]-1-methylethyl}-2,4-dihydroxybutanamide;

N-methyl-*N*-{2-[(4-{[3-methyl-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}acetamide;

N-methyl-*N*-{2-[(4-{[3-methyl-4-(1,3-thiazol-4-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino} quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}acetamide;

N-methyl-*N*-(2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(5-methylisoxazol-3-yl)methoxy]phenyl}amino) quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}ethyl)acetamide;

2-hydroxy-*N*-methyl-*N*-{2-[(4-{[3-methyl-4-(1,3-thiazol-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl] amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}acetamide;

2-hydroxy-*N*-{2-[(4-{[3-methyl-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino} quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}acetamide;

2-hydroxy-*N*-{2-[(4-{[3-methyl-4-(1,3-thiazol-4-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino} quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}acetamide;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]-1,1-dimethylethyl}-2-hydroxyacetamide;

2-hydroxy-*N*-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{ [3-methyl-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino} quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}acetamide;

2-hydroxy-*N*-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-methyl-4-(1,3-thiazol-4-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino} quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}acetamide;

N-((2*R*)-2-{[4-({4-[(3-fluorobenzyl)oxy]-3-methylphenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)-2-hydroxyacetamide;

2-hydroxy-*N*-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-methyl-4-(1,3-thiazol-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino} quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}acetamide;

N-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-methyl-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}acetamide;

N-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-methyl-4-(1,3-thiazol-4-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}acetamide;

N-((2*R*)-2-{[4-({4-[(3-fluorobenzyl)oxy]-3-methylphenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)acetamide;

N-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-methyl-4-(1,3-thiazol-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}acetamide;

2-hydroxy-*N*-methyl-*N*-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-methyl-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl] amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}acetamide;

2-hydroxy-*N*-methyl-*N*-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-methyl-4-(1,3-thiazol-4-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}acetamide;

2-hydroxy-*N*-methyl-*N*-((2*R*)-2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(5-methylisoxazol-3-yl)methoxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)acetamide;

N-methyl-*N*-{(1*R*)-1-methyl-2-[(4-{[3-methyl-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl] amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}acetamide;

N-methyl-*N*-{(1*R*)-1-methyl-2-[(4-{[3-methyl-4-(1,3-thiazol-4-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}acetamide;

N-{(1*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(1,3-thiazol-4-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]-1-methylethyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-methylacetamide;

2-hydroxy-*N*-methyl-*N*-{(1*R*)-1-methyl-2-[(4-{[3-methyl-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}acetamide;

2-hydroxy-*N*-methyl-*N*-{(1*R*)-1-methyl-2-[(4-{[3-methyl-4-(1,3-thiazol-4-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}acetamide;

N-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-1-hydroxy-*N*-methylcyclopropanecarboxamide;

(2*S*)-*N*-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-methylpropanamide;

N-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*,2-dimethylpropanamide;

(2*R*)-*N*-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2-hydroxy-*N*-methylpropanamide;

(2*R*)-*N*-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-2-methoxy-*N*-methylpropanamide;

2-hydroxy-*N*-methyl-*N*-((2*R*)-2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)acetamide;

N-methyl-*N*-((2*R*)-2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)acetamide;

N^1,N^2,N^2-trimethyl-N^1-((2*R*)-2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)glycinamide;

N-methyl-*N*-((2*R*)-2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)-2-pyrrolidin-1-ylacetamide;

N-methyl-*N*-((2*R*)-2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)-2-morpholin-4-ylacetamide;

N-methyl-*N*-((2*R*)-2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)-2-(4-methylpiperazin-1-yl)acetamide;

2-hydroxy-*N*-methyl-*N*-((2*S*)-2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)acetamide;

N-methyl-*N*-((2*S*)-2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)acetamide;

N-methyl-*N*-((2*S*)-2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)-2-pyrrolidin-1-ylacetamide;

(2*S*)-2,4-dihydroxy-*N*-((2*R*)-2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)butanamide;

(2*S*)-4-bromo-2-hydroxy-*N*-((2*R*)-2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)butanamide;

N-(2-chloroethyl)-*N'*-((2*R*)-2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}propyl)urea;

2-hydroxy-*N*-methyl-*N*-((1*R*)-1-methyl-2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}ethyl)acetamide;

N-methyl-*N*-((1*R*)-1-methyl-2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}ethyl)acetamide;

2-hydroxy-*N*-methyl-*N*-((1*S*)-1-methyl-2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}ethyl)acetamide;

N-methyl-*N*-((1*S*)-1-methyl-2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}ethyl)acetamide;

methyl-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}methylcarbamate;

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*,*N*'-dimethylurea;

N'-(2-chloroethyl)-*N*-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-methylurea;

N-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-*N*'-methylurea;

[((*R*)-2-{4-[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenylamino]quinazolin-5-yloxy}propylcarbamoyl)methyl]methylcarbamic acid tert-butyl ester;

N^1-{(2*R*)-2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(pyridin-2-ylmethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]propyl}-N^2-methylglycinamide;

2-hydroxy-*N*-methyl-*N*-(2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}ethyl)acetamide;

N-methyl-*N*-(2-{[4-({3-methyl-4-[(6-methylpyridin-3-yl)oxy]phenyl}amino)quinazolin-5-yl]oxy}ethyl)acetamide; and

N-{2-[(4-{[3-chloro-4-(1-methyl-1-pyridin-2-ylethoxy)phenyl]amino}quinazolin-5-yl)oxy]ethyl}-*N*-methylacetamide;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

19. A pharmaceutical composition which comprises a quinazoline derivative of the formula I, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, as defined in any one of claims 1 to 18 in association with a pharmaceutically-acceptable diluent or carrier.

20. A quinazoline derivative of the formula I, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, as defined in any one of claims 1 to 18 for use as a medicament.

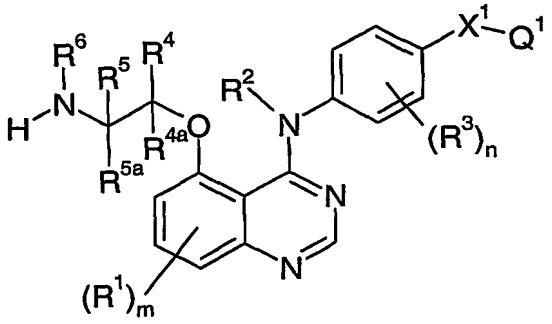
21. A quinazoline derivative of the formula I, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, as defined in any one of claims 1 to 18 for use in the production of an anti-proliferative effect which effect is produced alone or in part by inhibiting erbB2 receptor tyrosine kinase in a warm-blooded animal such as man.

22. A quinazoline derivative of the formula I, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, as defined in any one of claims 1 to 18 for use in the production of an erbB2 receptor tyrosine kinase inhibitory effect in a warm-blooded animal such as man.

23. A quinazoline derivative of the formula I, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, as defined in any one of claims 1 to 18 for use in the production of a selective erbB2 receptor tyrosine kinase inhibitory effect in a warm-blooded animal such as man.

24. A process for the preparation of a quinazoline derivative of the formula I, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, as defined in claim 1 which comprises:

(a) the coupling, conveniently in the presence of a suitable base, of a quinazoline of the formula **II**:



II

wherein R^1, R^2, R^3, R^4, R^{4a}, R^5, R^{5a}, R^6, X^1, Q^1, m, and n have any of the meanings defined in claim 1 except that any functional group is protected if necessary, with a carboxylic acid of the formula **III**, or a reactive derivative thereof:

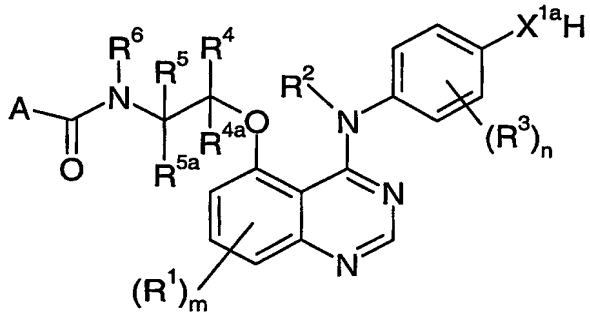
A-COOH

III

wherein A has any of the meanings defined in claim 1 except that any functional group is protected if necessary;

or

(b) for the preparation of those compounds of the formula I wherein X^1 is $OC(R^7)_2$, $SC(R^7)_2$ or $N(R^7)C(R^7)_2$, the reaction, conveniently in the presence of a suitable base, of a quinazoline of the formula **IV:**



IV

wherein X^{1a} is O, S or $N(R^7)$ and R^1, R^2, R^3, R^4, R^{4a}, R^5, R^{5a}, R^6, R^7, A, m, and n have any of the meanings defined in claim 1 except that any functional group is protected if necessary, with a compound of the formula **V** or a salt thereof:

Q^1-$C(R^7)_2$-L^1

V

wherein L^1 is a suitable displaceable group and Q^1 and R^7 have any of the meanings defined in claim 1 except that any functional group is protected if necessary;

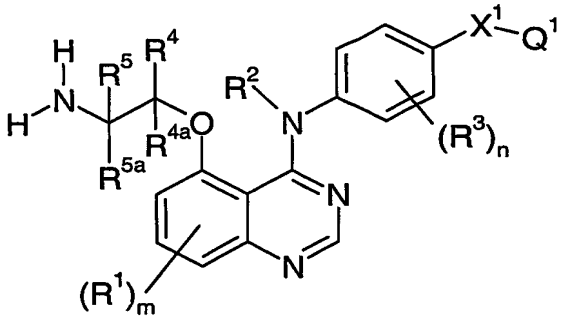
(c) for the preparation of those compounds of the formula I wherein A is R^{14} and R^{14} is NHR^{17} or Q^3-X^5- (wherein R^{17} and Q^3 are as defined in claim 1 and X^5 is NH), the coupling of a quinazoline of the formula **II** as defined above in (a) with an isocyanate of the formula **IIIa**:

A-NCO

IIIa

wherein A is R^{14} as previously defined in this section except that any functional group is protected if necessary;

(d) the reaction of a quinazoline of the formula **II** wherein R^6 is hydrogen:

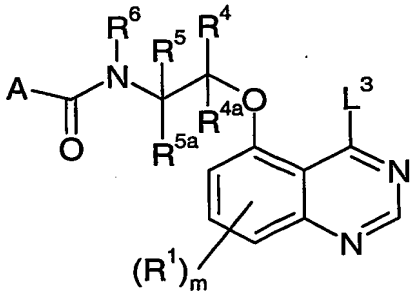


II

wherein R^1, R^2, R^3, R^4, R^{4a}, R^5, R^{5a}, X^1, Q^1, m, and n have any of the meanings defined in claim 1 except that any functional group is protected if necessary, with α-hydroxy-γ-butyrolactone wherein any functional group is protected if necessary;

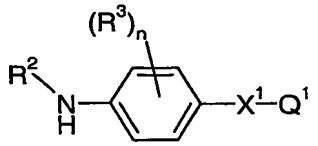
or

(e) the coupling of a quinazoline of the formula **VI**:



VI

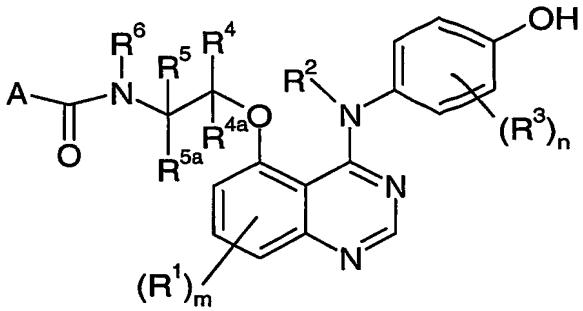
wherein R^1, R^4, R^{4a}, R^5, R^{5a}, R^6, A and m have any of the meanings defined in claim 1 except that any functional group is protected if necessary, with a compound of the formula **IIb**:



IIb

wherein R^2, R^3, X^1, Q^1 and n have any of the meanings defined in claim 1 except that any functional group is protected if necessary;

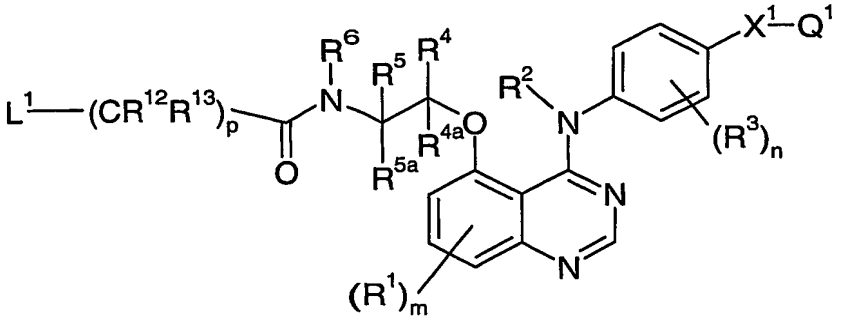
(f) for the preparation of those compounds of the formula I wherein X^1 is O and Q^1 is 2-pyridyl, 4-pyridyl, 2-pyrimidyl, 4-pyrimidyl, 2-pyrazinyl or 3-pyridazinyl, the reaction, conveniently in the presence of a suitable base and a suitable catalyst, of a quinazoline of the formula **VII:**



VII

wherein R^1, R^2, R^3, R^4, R^{4a}, R^5, R^{5a}, R^6, A, m and n have any of the meanings defined in claim 1 except that any functional group is protected if necessary, with 2-bromopyridine, 4-bromopyridine, 2-chloropyrimidine, 4-chloropyrimidine, 2-chloropyrazine or 3-chloropyridazine; or

(g) for the preparation of those compounds of the formula I wherein A is $Z\text{-}(CR^{12}R^{13})_p\text{-}$, wherein Z is $NR^{16}R^{17}$, the reaction, conveniently in the presence of a suitable base, of a quinazoline of the formula **VIII:**



VIII

wherein L^1 is a suitable displaceable group and R^1, R^2, R^3, R^4, R^{4a}, R^5, R^{5a}, R^6, R^{12}, R^{13}, X^1, Q^1, m, n and p have any of the meanings defined in claim 1 except that any functional group is protected if necessary, with a compound of the formula **IXa**, or a reactive derivative thereof:

$$H\text{-}NR^{16}R^{17}$$

IXa

wherein R^{16} and R^{17} have any of the meanings defined in claim 1 except that any functional group is protected if necessary;

and thereafter, if necessary:

(i) converting a quinazoline derivative of the formula I into another quinazoline derivative of the formula I;

(ii) removing any protecting group that is present by conventional means;

(iii) forming a pharmaceutically acceptable salt.